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**Re: Application of Duke Energy Carolinas for Authority to Adjust and Increase
its Electric Rates and Charges
Docket No. 2011-271-E**

Dear Ms. Boyd:

Enclosed for filing on behalf of Duke Energy Carolinas please find the rebuttal testimony of the following witnesses:

1. Jeffrey R. Bailey,
2. Stephen G. De May,
3. Catherine E. Heigel,
4. Robert B. Hevert,
5. Carol E. Shrum,
6. Phillip O. Stillman, and
7. Barbara G. Yarbrough.

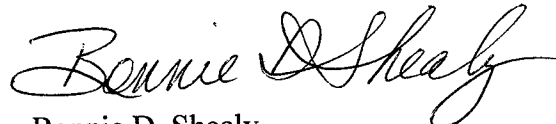
The Company moves that portions of Ms. Yarbrough's Rebuttal Testimony be treated and maintained as confidential pursuant to Order No. 2005-226, Order Requiring Designation of Confidential Materials. Portions of Ms. Yarbrough's testimony include confidential customer information that must be maintained as confidential in accordance with the Company's Privacy Policy. Therefore, we request that the Commission grant the request for confidential treatment pursuant to 26 SC Regs. 103-804(S)(2).

The Confidential Version of Ms. Yarbrough's testimony is being provided to the Office of Regulatory Staff and to the Commission under seal via hand delivery. The Public Version redacts the confidential, customer information and is being provided to the other parties of record.

By copy of this letter we are serving the same on all parties of record. Should you have any questions, please contact me.

Very truly yours,

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